

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 427 - SB 418**

February 24, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires any state agency taking acute adverse action against a person to notify the chairs of the House and Senate Government Operations Committees within 72 hours of taking such action. Defines "acute adverse action" as the assessment of any fine or monetary penalty in excess of \$1,000 or the suspension of a person's license for any period in excess of seven days.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

**Assumptions:**

- State departments, agencies, boards, and commissions that have authority to assess monetary penalties, fines, or licensure suspensions will provide the required notification through electronic means. Any cost will not be significant and can be accommodated within existing resources.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1011, all regulatory boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. As of June 30, 2010, the Division of Regulatory Boards had a closing balance of \$2,049,817 and the Division of Health Related Boards had a cumulative balance of \$5,416,959.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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